



WILLMAR PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Early Childhood
Family Programs

2024-2025—4 Year Old Preschool
Kids Together / Cardinal Kids

Dear Parents/Guardians:

April 3, 2024

Thank you for your interest in Kids Together and Cardinal Kids Preschool through Willmar Public Schools and Willmar Community Education for the 2024-2025 school year!

Online Registration opens at 7:30 am, Wednesday, April 17

www.willmar.k12.mn.us/communityed

Our 4 year old classes are located at each elementary school. Children must be 4 years of age by 9/1/24.

Preschool is open to all children. School placement is placed based on home address and priority needs as determined on the application form. If a class is full, a waiting list is created based on priority needs.

Scholarships and Funding: Willmar Public Schools has obtained Voluntary Pre Kindergarten (VPK) and Pathway II Early Learning Scholarships. All families are asked to complete the 24-25 Application for Educational Benefits form to assess eligibility for these funding opportunities. Children who reach the age of 5 before September 1, 2024, are ineligible for VPK funding or ELSA Scholarships and will need to cover the tuition costs specified in the application.

Busing: Limited bus transportation is provided for 4-year-old students. To be eligible, families must reside at least one mile away from the school. Mid-day busing is not available. Buses operate on regular routes during regular school hours. To access busing, families need to complete a Transportation Request Form, view a bus safety video, and then a bus tag will be created for the student.

Child Care: Cardinal Place Child Care* is available at the beginning and/or end of each school day:

<u>Program</u>	<u>Availability</u>
Half day - morning	Before school (no afternoon care available)
Half day - afternoon	After school (no morning care available)
Cardinal Kids - all day	Available both before and after school (children riding the bus must sign up for childcare)

**You must register for this program separately through Willmar Community Education. Registration opens August 1 for fall and space is limited. Fees will be based on the program your child is in and the hours you need care. Placement is not guaranteed.*

Please turn in the application form and other items listed below. The full registration packet, with all additional forms, will be mailed out mid-July to complete your child’s enrollment in our program.

Tentatively, classes will start the week of September 9, 2024.

Application Checklist:

- Application Form
- Copy of child’s Birth Certificate, if available
- Immunization Record or Exemption Certificate required*
- Early Childhood Screening, if your child has not been screened

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jodi Wambeke
 Early Childhood Programs Manager
 Jefferson Learning Center
 320-231-8492, ext. 7250

*Willmar Public Schools adheres to a “No Shots - No School” Policy. All students must have the required immunizations, be actively in the process to receive the series, or have proper documentation of medical exemption or conscientious objection on file to attend any Willmar Public School preschool classes.



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Waalidka/Masuuliyiinta qaaliga:

April 3, 2024

Waad ku mahadsantahay xiisaha aad u qabto Wadajir Caruurta iyo Cardinal Kids Preschool ilaa Iskuulada Dadweynaha ee Willmar iyo Dugsiga Bulshada ee Willmar sanad dugsiyeedka 2024-2025.

Diiwaangelinta khadka tooska ah waxay furmaysaa 7:30 subaxnimo, Arbacada, Abriil 17. www.willmar.k12.mn.us/communityed

Fasaladeenna 4 jirka ah waxay ku yaalliin dugsi hoose kasta. Caruurta waa inay 4 jiryihiin markay tahay 9/1/24

Dugsiga wuxuu u furan yahay dhammaan carruurta. Meelaynta dugsiga waxaa lagu meeleeeyaa iyadoo lagu saleynayo ciwaanka guriga iyo baahiyaha mudnaanta leh sida lagu go'aamiyay foomka codsiga. Haddii fasalku buuxsamo, liiska sugitaanka ayaa la abuurayaa iyadoo lagu saleynayo baahiyaha mudnaanta leh.

Deeq— waxbarasho iyo Maalgelin: Dugsiyada dadweynaha ee willmar waxay heleen deeqaha waxbarashada hore (VPK) iyo pathway . Dhamaan qoysaska waxaa laga codsanayaa inay buuxiyaan foomka 24-25 codsiga faa'iidooyinka waxbarashada si loo qiimeeyo u qalmitaanka kuwan fursadaha maalgelinta. Caruurta gaara da'da 5 ka hor September 1, 2024 uma qalmaan maalgelinta VPK ama ELSA. Deeqaha waxbarasho iyo waxay u baahan doonan inay daboosho kharashka waxbarasha ee lagu qeexay codsiga.

Baska: gaadiid bas xadidan ayaa la siiya ardayda 4 jirka ah . Si ay xaq ugu yeeshaan, qoysasku waa inay degan ugu yaraan hal mayl u jirta dugsgia . Basaska maalinta dhexe lama heli karo. Basaska waxay ku shaqeyaan dariiqyada caadiga ah saacadaha dugsiga ah. Si aad u gasho baska , Qoysaska waxay u baahan yihin inay buuxiyaan foomka codsiga gadiidka, oo ay arkaan fiidyowka badbaadada baska, ka dibna sumada baska ayaa loo samayn doono ardayga.

Daryeelka Caruurta: Daryeelka caruurta ee Cardinal Place ayaa la heli karaa bilowga iyo ama dhamaadka maalin kaste ee dugsi.

Barnaamijka	Helitaanka
Maliin badhkeed— subax	Dugsiga ka hore (ma laha daryeel galabnimo)
Malin badhkeed— galabnimo	Dugsiga galabtii (daryeel subax lama heli karo)
Cardinal Kids—maalinta oo dhan waa la heli karaa ka hor iyo ka dib dugsiga (carruurta baska raacaya waa inay isku qoraan daryeelka ilmaha)	

**Waa in aad si gooni ah isaga diiwaan gelisaa barnaamijkan adiga oo isticmaalaya Willmar Community Education.*

Diiwaangelintu waxay furmi doontaa Ogosto 1 dayrta iyo boosku waa xaddidan yahay. Kharashyadu waxay ku salaysnaan doonaan barnaamijka ilmahaagu ku jiro iyo saacadaha aad u baahan tahay daryeel. Meelayntu waa aan dammaanad qaadin.

Fadlan soo gudbi foomka codsiga iyo waxyaabaha kale ee hoos ku qoran. Xidhmada diiwaangelinta oo dhan, oo leh dhammaan foomamka dheeraadka ah, waxa lagu soo diri doonaa boostada badhtamaha Juulaay si loo dhammaystiro diiwaangelinta ilmahaaga ee barnaamijkayaga.

Wakhtiyada lagu wado inuu bilaabanayo fasaladu waa usbuuca September 9 keeda 2024.

Waxyaabaha layska rabo:

- Foonka arjiga
- Barista carruurnimada hore hadii aan Elmahaaga La Barin
- Talaalka ama warqad cadeyneysa inan laga rabin talaal.
- Koobiga shahadada dhalashada ilmahaaga

Si daacad ah,

Jodi Wambeke
 Maamulaha barnaamijka xanaanada ciyaalka
 320-231-8492, ext. 7250

*Dugsiga dadweynaha Willmar wuxuu ku dhaqmaa “hadaan ilmaha la talaalin iskuul ma aadi karo” Ardaydoo dhan waa inay heystaan talaalka laga rabo, kamid ahoow kuwa qaadanaya talaalka taxanaha ah ama hayso warqad cadeyn ah inaan lagaa rabin si aad uga qayb gashid iskuulka ciyaalka.



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4 Year Old Preschool Application
Kids Together / Cardinal Kids 2024-2025
 Return form to Willmar Community Education, 1234 Kandiyohi Ave SW

Child's FULL Legal Name:

Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Birthdate _____ Age as of 9/1/24 _____ Male Female

Has your child been Early Childhood Screened? Yes No If yes, when? _____

Child's Race/Ethnicity: Caucasian African American Hispanic/Latino Asian Other _____

What languages does your child speak? (check all that apply) English Somali Spanish _____

Child lives with: Mother Father Both Other _____

Does your child have any known allergies? Yes No If yes, explain: _____

Parent/Guardian #1—FULL Legal Name:

Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Birthdate _____ E-mail _____

Phone (Cell) _____ (Work) _____ (Home) _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Parent/Guardian #2—FULL Legal Name:

Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Birthdate _____ E-mail _____

Phone (Cell) _____ (Work) _____ (Home) _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Do you need interpreter assistance? Yes No

Are you interested in volunteering? Advisory Council Classroom No Other _____

Name of person filling out this form _____ Relationship _____

Please check all that apply:

- | | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> English Language Learner | <input type="checkbox"/> IEP | <input type="checkbox"/> No Preschool Experience | <input type="checkbox"/> Single Parent Household |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Qualify free/reduced lunch | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Receives Public Assist. | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Stress (divorce, death, job) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Homelessness | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | |

We appreciate your cooperation filling out information on this form. This information is used to determine if recruitment efforts are reaching all segments of the community and will be kept confidential.



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4 Year Old Preschool Class Options
Kids Together / Cardinal Kids 2024-2025
 Return form to Willmar Community Education, 1234 Kandiyohi Ave SW

Date Application Received: _____

Child's Full Name: _____ Birthdate _____
 Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Child's Primary Address _____

School Boundary Location (if known): Kennedy Lakeland Roosevelt Open Enrolled

4 Year Old Class Options

Must be 4 by 9/1/2024—Please indicate 1st and 2nd choices

Available at Kennedy, Lakeland or Roosevelt:

<u>Kids Together Half Day</u>	<u>Class Time</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>For children who are 5 prior to 9/1/24</u>
____ A. Monday-Friday	8:30-11:30 AM	Free	\$ 300/month* Sept-May
____ B. Monday-Thursday	12:15-3:15 PM	Free	\$ 240/month* Sept-May

<u>Cardinal Kids Full Day</u>	<u>Class Time</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>For children who are 5 prior to 9/1/24</u>
____ C. Monday-Friday	8:30 AM—2:30 PM	Free	\$650/month* Sept-May

Available at Jefferson Learning Center—Multi-Age Class—3 and 4 year olds—Must be 3 years old by 9/1/24
No Busing or Child Care available.

<u>Kids Together Half Day</u>	<u>Class Time</u>	<u>Cost for 4 year olds</u>	<u>For children who are 3 or 5 prior to 9/1/24</u>
____ A. Monday-Friday	8:30-11:30 AM	Free	\$ 300/month* Sept-May
____ B. Monday-Thursday	12:30-3:30 PM	Free	\$ 240/month* Sept-May

I would like a scholarship application: Yes* No

**Children who turn 5 years old prior to 9/1/24 are not eligible for VPK funding or ELSA Scholarships.*

I would like busing information: Yes* No, I will transport my child

* If yes, you must live at least one mile from school for your child to qualify for bus service. You must fill out a Transportation Request Form and watch a bus safety video to start the process and receive a bus tag for your student. There is no mid-day busing, and buses run on regular routes based on regular school hours. If your child is in Cardinal Kids preschool and they will be riding the bus, you must sign them up for Cardinal Place Childcare at the end of the preschool day.

I would like Cardinal Place Child Care* information: Yes** No, I do not need child care

<u>Program</u>	<u>Availability</u>
Half day—morning	Before school (no afternoon care available)
Half day—afternoon	After school (no morning care available)
Cardinal Kids—all day	Available both before and after school (children riding the bus must sign up for childcare)

***You must register for this program separately through Willmar Community Education. Registration opens August 1 for fall, and space is limited. Fees will be based on the program your child is in and the hours you need care. Placement is not guaranteed. There is no Cardinal Place Child Care available at Jefferson Learning Center.*

Parent Signature _____ Date _____



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4 Year Old Preschool Application
Kids Together / Cardinal Kids 2024-2025
 Return form to Willmar Community Education, 1234 Kandiyohi Ave SW

Magaca ilmaha:

Magaca Danbeeya _____ Magaca Hore _____ Magaca Dhex _____
 Taariikhda Dhalashada _____ Da'ada 9/1/24 _____ Lab Dheddig
 Ilmahaaga ma la baadhay? haa may hadii aad haa tidh, Goorma? _____
 Jinsiyada ilmaha/Isirka: Caucasian African American Hispanic/Latino Asian Kale _____
 Luuqada asaasiga ee ilmahaagu ku hadlo? (Dooro Mid) English Somali Spanish _____
 Ilmuhu wuxuu la nool yahay : Hooyo Aabo Labadaba kale _____
 Ilmahaagu ma leeyahay wax xasaasiyad ah oo la yaqaan? Haa Maya Hadday haa sharaxdo: _____

Waalidka/Masuulka #1 oo Buuxa Magaca Sharciga :

Magaca Danbeeye _____ Magaca Hore _____ Magaca Dhex _____
 Tariikhda dhalashada _____ Emeelka _____
 Telefoonka(Gacanta) _____ (Shaqada) _____ (Guriga) _____
 Ciwaanka _____ Magaalada _____ Zip _____

Waalidka/Masuulka #2 oo Buuxa Magaca Sharciga:

Magaca Danbeeye _____ Magaca Hore _____ Magaca Dhex _____
 Tariikhda dhalasha _____ Emeelka _____
 Telefoonka(Gacanta) _____ (Shaqada) _____ (Guriga) _____
 Ciwaanka _____ Magaalada _____ Zip _____
 Miyaad u bahantahay turjuman ku gargaar ah? Haa Maya
 Diyaar ma u tahay in aad taabarucad ku shaqyso? (goobabi mid) Golaha La-talinta fasalka Fasaalka May Waxkale _____
 Magaca qofka buuxinaya foomkan _____ Xidhidhka idin ka dhexya _____

Fadlan mid ka dooro:

- English Language Learner IEP Ma aragnimo iyo barbaarinta caruurta Hal guriga waalidka
- Tayada bilash /Qadada la dhimay Caafimaadka Reerku Caadh ma qaataa Stress qoyska (divorce, death, job)
- Homelessness Other _____

Waxaan ka mahadcelineynaa iskaashigaaga buuxinta macluumaadka foomkan. Macluumaadkaan waxaa loo isticmaalaa in lagu go'aamiyo in dadaalada shaqo qorista ay gaarayaan dhamaan qeybaha bulshada oo si sir ah loo ilaalin doono

Ka rog bogga



4 Year Old Preschool Xulashada fasalka

Kids Together / Cardinal Kids 2024-2025

Return form to Willmar Community Education, 1234 Kandiyohi Ave SW

Date Application Received: _____

Magaca ilmaha :

Date of Birth: _____

Dambe _____ Koowaad _____ Dhexe _____

Cinwaanka saasiga ah ee ilmaha _____

Goobta xadka dugsiga (Haddii la garanayo) : Kennedy Lakeland Roosevelt Fur Diiwaangashan

Xulasho Fasalka Fasalka Sanadka ah 4 sano

Waa inuu ahaadaa 4 illaa 9/1/2024— Fadlan sheeg doorashada 1-aad iyo 2-aad

Waxaa laga heli karaa Kennedy, Lakeland ama Roosevelt:

<u>Carruurta Wadajir Maalinta Barkeed</u>	<u>Fasalka Waqtiga</u>	<u>Kharashka</u>	<u>Caruurta da'doodu tahay</u> 5 ka hor 9/1/24
____ A. Isniin Ilaa Jimco	8:30-11:30 AM	Bilaash	\$300/Bil* Sept-May
____ B. Isniin-Khamiista	12:15-3:15 PM	Bilaash	\$240/Bil* Sept-May

<u>Caruurta Cardinal</u>	<u>Fasalka Waqtiga</u>	<u>Kharashka</u>	<u>Caruurta da'doodu tahay</u> 5 ka hor 9/1/24
____ C. Isniin Ilaa Jimco	8:30 AM—2:30 PM	Bilaash	\$650/Bil* Sept-May

Waxaa laga heli karaa Xarunta Waxbarashada ee Jefferson - Fasalka da'da badan - 3 iyo 4 jir - waa inay ahaadaan 3 jir 9/1/24. Ma jiro bas ama Xanaano Ilmo oo diyaar ah.

<u>Carruurta Wadajir Maalinta Barkeed</u>	<u>Fasalka Waqtiga</u>	<u>Kharashka</u> 4 jir	<u>Caruurta da'doodu tahay</u> 3 or 5 ka hor 9/1/24
____ A. Isniin Ilaa Jimco	8:30-11:30 AM	Bilaash	\$ 300/Bil* Sept-May
____ B. Isniin-Khamiista	12:30-3:30 PM	Bilaash	\$ 240/Bil* Sept-May

Waxaan jeclaan lahaa codsi deeq waxbarasho: Haa* Maya

**Carruurta buuxisa 5 sano kahor 9/1/24 uma qalmaan maalgelinta VPK ama deeqaha waxbarasho ee ELSA.*

Waxaan jeclaan lahaa macluumaadka baska: Haa* Maya, waan qaadi doonaa ilmahayga

* Haday haa tahay, waa inaad ugu yaraan hal mayl u jirtaa dugsiga si uu ilmahaagu ugu qalmo adeega baska . Waa inaad buuxiso foomka codsiga gaadiidka oo aad dawato fiidiyowga badbaadada baska si aad u bilowdo howsha oo aad u hesho sumaada baska ardaygaaga . Ma jiro baska maalinta dhexe, iyo basasku waxay ku socdaan dariiqyo caadi ah oo ku salaysan saacadaha dugsiga ee caadiga ah. Haddii ilmahaagu ku jiro dugsiga barbaarinta cardinal kids oo ay baska raacayaan, waa inaad iska diwaanhelisaa cardinal place childcare dhamaan maalinta dugsiga barbaarinta.

Waxaan jeclaan lahaa macluumaadka Xanaanada Ilmaha ee Meesha Cardinal: Haa** Maya

<u>Barnaamijka</u>	<u>Helitaanka</u>
Malin badhkeed—subax	Dugsiga ka hore (ma laha daryeel galabnimo)
Malin badhked—galabnimo	Dugsiga galabtii (daryeel subax lama heli karo)
Cardinal Kids—Malin oo dhan	la heli kara ka hore iyo ka dib dugsiga barbaarinta (carruurta baska raacaya waa inay iska diiwaan galiyaan daryeelka ilmaha)

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Saxeexa waalidka _____ Taariikhda _____